

Will Seek \$250,000 Appropriation For Guard From State

A vigorous campaign to get a national guard appropriation of \$250,000 from the Tennessee legislature in January for the 1921-1922 budget has been started by general officers all over the state. Such an appropriation will wipe out the reputation gained by Tennessee in having for the last two years the smallest appropriation of any state in the Union. Officers all over the state, having conducted local meetings and assisted by Adj. Gen. Baxter Sweeney and Col. H. M. Chandler, commander of the Fourth regiment, are busily engaged in perfecting their organization to influence the 1921 legislature to make the needed appropriation. The officers declare that the budget of \$250,000 for each of the next two years is an absolute essential for the Tennessee guards. Gov. Roberts is backing up the guardsmen and will take a leading part in the campaign among the legislators at the proper time.

Mal D. B. Sweeney, of Memphis, brother of Gen. Sweeney, attached to the inspector-general's department of the state guard, has been elected temporary secretary of the Memphis unit of the state organization. Maj. K. Schuman, U.S.A., attached to the Nashville headquarters of the guard, has been selected temporary chairman, and is enthusiastically gaining the co-operation of the different units.

Tennessee's appropriation for the last two years being only \$15,000 for each year, is the lowest of any of the 31 states in the Union having recognized guard organizations. New York has considerably over a million dollars' appropriation, while Massachusetts has about \$1,000,000 for each year.

Yet, despite the lowest appropriation, the Tennessee guard stands seventh in strength and efficiency among the 31 states. An appropriation of \$125,000 for each of the next two years will be enough for the necessities of the state guard, but will enable it to reach the standard of excellence and make it second to none, the officers declare.

Activities Among Memphis Negroes

By Rev. T. O. Fuller.

In the death of the late Capt. Dabney M. Scales, the negro people have lost a sincere friend. We shall cherish the memory of his deeds of kindness.

The informal conference of Baptist leaders from all parts of the country has been called at Chicago, June 8-11, under the direction of President E. C. Morris and Director-General I. D. Thomas.

The orphan girls mentioned in our Wednesday's notes have been employed. When you see them, please give them a warm welcome, for they are in a hurry, for thousands are reading it.

Olivia Stearns and little daughters, from Humboldt, Tenn., are visiting friends in this city. She and her daughters have charge of the public school in their home town.

The linen shower for the Old Folks' home on Hernando road will be held Friday. Clothing and linen for beds will be accepted. Don't fail to send the gifts to the Community center, 401 Beale avenue.

Landscape gardening is taught at Howe. The boys have beautified the campus with slopes, terraces and mounds.

English department concert in the Howe chapel Friday night. Don't miss it.

Dr. Ben Cox will preach at the First Baptist church, St. Paul avenue, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Go early if you wish to get a seat.

The Rev. M. T. Cooper is the pastor among the Methodist ministers of this city. His rally and grand breaking Sunday afternoon will mean new life for St. James A. M. E. church.

Prof. George W. Henderson will soon be at his post of duty again, to the delight of his friends.

TELEGRAPH BRIEFS

OPELIKA, Ala.—The entire police force struck yesterday when the mayor ordered the release of three Auburn students, charged with disorderly conduct.

CLEVELAND, O.—Fred W. Ellis, worth, of New Orleans, was elected president of the Association of Reserve City Bankers at the close of the eighth annual convention here yesterday. Buffalo won in a race with Boston, Dallas and St. Louis for the next convention.

WIENINGEN, Holland.—Former Crown Prince Frederick William of Germany arrived here yesterday from Doorn, where he visited his parents, former Emperor William and former Empress Augusta Victoria, over Whit-sunday.

LONDON.—The Lettish and Bolsh-evik peace delegations at Moscow have reached an agreement by which Russia recognizes the complete independence of Latvia, according to an official Let-tish source in London.

MURKOGEE, Okla.—One student from Bacone university, near here, was killed and several injured yesterday when a street car collided with an automobile in which the students were riding.

RALEIGH, N. C.—The largest seizure of sugar in the South since the Laver act became effective occurred yesterday at Rose Hill, in Duplin.

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Train No. 5 will leave Memphis daily at 8:55 A.M., through sleeper for Texarkana, Dallas and Ft. Worth, connecting sleeper Texarkana to Waco.

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county, when department of justice agents took charge of 600 barrels of granulated sugar stored in two warehouses and consigned to J. G. Townsend and company, of Shelbyville, Del.

WASHINGTON.—The house yesterday killed the bill authorizing the shipping board to adjust claims of wooden shipbuilders for losses suffered in creating shipyards and building vessels during the war.

SACRAMENTO, Cal.—When burglars ransacked the cellar at the A. Van Phinney home, in an exclusive residence section here recently and stole a large quantity of liquor, a barrel of whisky was not included in the loot, the police announced. Burglar had placed it in his bedroom for safekeeping, they added.

PENSACOLA, Fla.—Navy yard officials are still searching for the missing kite balloon which disappeared somewhere in the gulf during the 65-mile gale Monday. Every wireless station on the gulf has been advised to assist in locating the balloon.

WASHINGTON.—The house adopted unanimously and sent to conference yesterday a resolution authorizing the navy department to continue operation for not more than two years of its radio stations for the use of the general public.

TIPLIS, Trans-Caucasia.—Feeling is growing here that the Russian Bolsheviks are directing their armies toward Persia as they have concentrated about 60,000 troops in the vicinity of Baku.

NEW YORK.—Charges that the American Sugar Refining company is demanding excessive prices, made by federal agents in connection with the arrest in Boston of W. K. Green, its general manager, were denied here by Earl D. Babst, president of the company.

ALLEGED PARTICIPANTS IN BATTLE MAKE BOND

WILLIAMSON, W. Va., May 27.—Chief of Police Sid Hatfield, of Matewan, W. Va., and nine other Matewan men have been released on bonds of \$5,000 each, following arraignment before Judge Cameron, of the circuit court, in connection with the killing of seven Baldwin-Felts detectives in Matewan May 19. Hatfield and the others were arrested in Matewan and brought to Williamson and when arraigned waived extradition.

The authorities have announced that 15 warrants have been issued in connection with the pistol battle, four of them being for Baldwin-Felts men.

SALVATION ARMY MEN ARE LOST IN RUSSIA

CHICAGO, May 27.—Thirty Salvation Army officers have disappeared in so-called Russia, and have been given up as lost, according to a telegram to the Chicago headquarters from New York.

"As a last resort, a high Salvation Army officer is traveling incognito in Russia in an endeavor to learn the fate of the 30 missing officers," the telegram said.

Chicago Publisher Releases Paper To Small Newspapers

CHICAGO, May 27.—Victor F. Lawson, publisher of the Chicago Daily News, has released 100 tons of news print to be distributed to smaller newspapers which need supplies and are reported facing suspension if immediate assistance is not given them. It was announced yesterday.

A number of newspapers are without mill connections, according to J. I. Fearing, Western manager of the International Paper company, who said that the action of Mr. Lawson and other large publishers in releasing part of their tonnage at the request of the International Paper company, George H. Mead company and other concerns, had saved the lives of many papers.

Mr. Fearing, who asked Mr. Lawson to release the tonnage, said he found him anxious to co-operate. At Mr. Lawson's request the paper will be distributed by Mr. Fearing, who said that this action, and that of other large publishers, had already had a softening effect upon the "agot" market, and that there were indications of an early adjustment of the news print situation.

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DYNAMITER TESTIFIES AGAINST I. W. W. LEADER

TULSA, Okla., May 27.—Hubert Vowell, now serving a term in the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kas., for his confessed part in dynamiting the J. R. Few home here Oct. 29, 1917, was the principal witness for the state yesterday in the trial of Charles Kreiger, alleged member of the I. W. W., on a charge of conspiring to blow up the Few home.

Vowell testified that two days before the Few residence was blown up he and Frank Benson had stolen a dozen sticks of dynamite from a rock quarry; that an hour prior to the explosion

he, Benson and John Hall placed the dynamite under the Few home, lighted the fuse and walked away. He testified that Kreiger had later been pointed out to him as the man "who would pay each of the three of us \$125 for dynamiting the house." Vowell said he had not received any of the money.

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Moreover, there should be considered as a MATTER OF SERVICE the carrying of many household requirements not ordinarily carried by the grocer whose methods are based primarily on profit. For example, light hardware items and many other articles for which a "trip uptown" must be made, unless there is a Bowers Store nearby—and there are forty-four of them "in all parts of the city."

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While operating as a unit in a system of distribution covering THE ENTIRE CITY, each Bowers Store endeavors to offer a distinct neighborhood spirit of accommodation to its PARTICULAR TRADE and in this respect only is different from the rest.

As to prices, the best indication of the consistency and economy of the Bowers prices is evidenced by THEIR LEADERSHIP generally recognized by others in shaping their sales to conform as nearly as possible with ours. But it is not only in consistently low prices that the Bowers Stores take the initiative. There is also a high degree of forethought in the selection and provision of NEEDFUL COMMODITIES in various lines and time-saving features to be DULY CONSIDERED—in short, the taking into account of "what we give with what we sell."

Bluing, Dean's, per bottle.....	8c
Bluing, Kutyhunk, per stick.....	4c
Brag Brooms, best straw (light), each.....	99c
Cyclone Brooms, each.....	53c
Winner Brooms, each.....	64c
Leader Brooms, each.....	74c
Cyclone Brooms, each.....	53c
Scrub Brushes, Mallard, Palmyra, each.....	12c
Scrub Brushes, Turtle, Palmyra, each.....	16c
Can Openers, each.....	9c
Castor Oil, 10c bottle.....	8c
Lamp Chimneys, No. 1 Common, each.....	8c
Lamp Chimneys, No. 2 Common, each.....	9c
Lamp Chimneys, No. 2 Rochester, each.....	19c
Old Dutch Cleanser, per can.....	9c
Light House Cleanser, per can.....	6c
Clothes Lines, 40-ft. grass, each.....	11c
Clothes Lines, 40-ft. wire, each.....	17c
Coal Oil, per gallon.....	21c
Clothes Pins, 15 for.....	5c
Feather Dusters, 14-in. size, each.....	44c
Fly Paper, double sheets, each.....	2c
Fly Swatters, wire, each.....	5c
Galvanized Garbage Cans, 8-gal. size.....	\$1.37
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Garbage Cans, 10-gal. size.....	\$1.78
Jersey Gloves, per pair.....	20c
Composition Palm Gloves, per pair.....	29c
Gauntlet Leather Palm Gloves, per pair.....	40c
Gold Dust, large package.....	33c
Gold Dust, small package.....	47c
Bee Brand Insect Powder, small can.....	11c
Bee Brand Insect Powder, large can.....	27c
Kitchen Lamps, each.....	53c
Lux per package.....	13c
Special Cotton String Mops, 10-oz. size.....	43c

Special Cotton String Mops, 16-oz. size.....	70c
Rex Yarn Mops, 16-oz. size.....	68c
O Cedar Mops, Triangle, No. 4, each.....	84c
Carter's Mucilage, per bottle.....	7c
3-in-1 Machine Oil, 15c bottle.....	10c
Household Machine Oil, 25c can.....	17c
Galvanized Pails, 12-qt. size.....	39c
Galvanized Pails, 12-qt. size.....	43c
Pearline Washing Powders, per package.....	5c
Peroxide, 4-oz. bottle.....	8c
Champion Bar Polish, per package.....	13c
Black Jack Stove Polish, per can.....	11c
O Cedar Oil, 4-oz. bottle.....	17c
O Cedar Oil, 12-oz. bottle.....	34c
O Cedar Oil, quart can.....	68c
Ice Cream Salt, per lb.....	1c
Tin Sifters, crank handle, each.....	23c
Ivory Soap Flakes, per package.....	9c
Lump Starch, per lb.....	9c
Celluloid Starch, per package.....	57c
Tonn's Stone Dressing, small package.....	9c
Tonn's Stone Dressing, large package.....	19c
Carnet Tacks, toy barrels, each.....	4c
Mattin Tacks, per package.....	3c
Tonn's Dish per package.....	4c
Red Trans, each.....	8c
Galvanized Tube No. 1 each.....	\$1.21
Galvanized Tube No. 2 each.....	\$1.35
Galvanized Tube No. 3, each.....	\$1.58
Turpentine, 10c bottle.....	8c
Best Brass Washboards, each.....	85c
Brass Junior Washboards, each.....	73c
Silver King Washboards, each.....	68c
Octagon Washing Powder, per package.....	5c
Star Naphtha Washing Powder, small package.....	5c
Lamp Wicks, No. 2, 6 for.....	5c
Lamp Wicks, No. 1, each.....	1c

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